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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS:

Oestreicher et al.

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A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETERMINING WEIGHT

AND POSITION OF A VEHICLE SEAT OCCUPANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO: 60,426-268 (97P7720US03)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals the final rejection of December 2, 2003. Fees in the amount of \$320.00 are paid by the attached check. If any additional fees are necessary, you are hereby authorized to charge deposit account number 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAIL

I hereby certify that the enclosed Notice is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 2nd day of March, 2004.

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